Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims

(Currently Amended) A method for providing a radio frequency identification 1. (RFID) comprising:

facilitating a user in providing an instruction to a component of a mobile communication device to output a first data, said outputin a form of a first radio frequency signal to emulating an emulate-output of the first data by an active RFID transponder, the mobile communication devicecomponent being also equipped to facilitate a user in communicating with a user of another communication device, with the communication being facilitated at least in part over a wireless network; and

in response to said providing an instruction, outputting the first data in the form of a radio frequency signal, said outputting emulating output of the first data by an active RFID transponder as instructed by the user.

- 2 (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein said first data comprises a selected one of a security key and an identifier component is a transceiver.
- 3 (Currently Amended) The method of claim 2, wherein said first data comprises a selected one of a security key[[,]] and said security key comprises a door keyan identifier.
- 4 (Currently Amended) The method of claim 3, wherein said door-security key comprises a selected one of a garage door key, an exterior door key, an interior door key, and a motor vehicle door key.
- 5. (Original) The method of claim 2, wherein said first data comprises an identifier. and said identifier comprises a selected one of a social security number, a driver's license number, an affinity program account number, and a credit card number.

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- 6 (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the method further comprises facilitating the user in selecting the first data from a plurality of data using the mobile communication device.
- 7 (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the method further comprises facilitating provision of the first data to the mobile communication device.
- 8 (Currently Amended) The method of claim 7, wherein said facilitating of the provisioning of the data to the mobile communication device[[,]] including includes facilitating provision of at least a signaling attribute associated with the outputting of the data in the form of a radio frequency signal.
- 9 (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein the method further comprises:

detecting-monitoring for proximal presence of a RFID reader by the mobile communication device; and

on detection of a RFID reader by the mobile communication device, outputting a second data in a form of a second radio frequency signal, using the mobile communication device, emulating output of the second data by a passive RFID transponder.

- 10. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 9, wherein said detecting-monitoring comprises sensing for a probing radio frequency signal of the RFID reader by the mobile communication device
- 11. (Original) The method of claim 9, wherein said first and second data are the same data
- 12 (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the mobile communication device is a selected one of a wireless mobile phone and a personal digital assistant equipped with communication capability.
- 13 (Currently Amended) A method for providing a radio frequency identifier (RFID). comprising:

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detecting-monitoring for proximal presence of a RFID reader by a mobile communication device, the mobile communication device being also equipped to facilitate a user in communicating with a user of another communication device, with the communication being facilitated at least in part over a wireless network; and

on detection of a RFID reader, outputting a data in a form of a radio frequency signal, using the mobile communication device, said outputting emulating outputting of the data by a passive RFID transponder.

- 14 (Currently Amended) The method of claim 13, wherein said detecting-monitoring comprises sensing for a probing radio frequency signal of the RFID reader by the mobile communication device.
- 15 (Original) The method of claim 13, wherein said data comprises a security key.
- 16 (Original) The method of claim 15, wherein said security key comprises a door kev.
- (Original) The method of claim 16, wherein said door key comprises a selected 17 one of a garage door key, an exterior door key, an interior door key, and a motor vehicle door key.
- 18. (Original) The method of claim 13, wherein the method further comprises facilitating provision of the data to the mobile communication device.
- 19 (Original) The method of claim 18, wherein said facilitating of the provisioning of the data to the mobile communication device, including facilitating provision of at least a signaling attribute associated with the outputting of the data in the form of a radio frequency signal.
- 20 (Original) The method of claim 13, wherein the mobile communication device is a selected of a wireless mobile phone and a personal digital assistant equipped with communication capability.

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- 21 (Currently Amended) A mobile communication device comprising: a transmitter to transmit a radio frequency signal:
- a storage medium to store a first data and instructions to operate the transmitter, the transmitter being operated to selectively (a) output [[thell a first data in a form of as a radio frequency signal, in response to a user instruction, said output emulating output of the first data by an active radio frequency identifier (RFID) transponder, and (b) facilitate a user to communicate with another user of another communication device, with the communication being facilitated at least in part over a wireless network; and
 - a processor coupled to the transmitter and the storage to execute the instructions.
- 22 (Original) The device of claim 21, wherein said first data comprises a selected one of a security key and an identifier.
- 23. (Original) The device of claim 22, wherein said first data comprises a security key, and said security key comprises a door key.
- 24. (Original) The device of claim 23, wherein said door key comprises a selected one of a garage door key, an exterior door key, an interior door key, and a motor vehicle door kev.
- 25 (Original) The device of claim 22, wherein said first data comprises an identifier. and said identifier comprises a selected one of a social security number, a driver's license number, an affinity program account number, and a credit card number.
- 26. (Original) The device of claim 21, wherein the instructions are further designed to facilitate the user in selecting the first data from a plurality of data, and instructing said output.
- 27. (Original) The device of claim 21, wherein the instructions are further designed to facilitate provision of the first data to the mobile communication device.

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- 28. (Original) The device of claim 27, wherein the instructions are further designed to include with said facilitating, provisioning of at least a signaling attribute associated with the outputting of the first data in the form of a radio frequency signal.
- (Currently Amended) The device of claim 21, wherein the instructions are further designed to

detect-monitor for proximal presence of a RFID reader; and
on detection of a RFID reader, output[[ting]] a second data in a form of a second
radio frequency signal, emulating output of the second data by a passive RFID
transponder.

- (Original) The device of claim 29, wherein the instructions are further designed to sense for a probing radio frequency signal of the RFID reader.
- (Original) The device of claim 29, wherein said first and second data are the same data
- 32. (Currently Amended) The device of claim 21, wherein the mobile communication device is a selected <u>one</u> of a wireless mobile phone and a personal digital assistant equipped with communication capability.
- (Currently Amended) A mobile communication device comprising: a transmitter to transmit a radio frequency signal;

a storage medium to store a first data and instructions to operate the transmitter to selectively (a) detect-monitor for proximal presence of a radio frequency identifier (RFID) reader, and on detection of a RFID reader, output a data in [[a]] the form of a radio frequency signal, said output emulating output of the data by a passive RFID transponder, and (b) facilitate a user to communicate with another user of another communication device, with the communication being facilitated at least in part over a wireless network; and

a processor coupled to the transmitter and the storage to execute the instructions.

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- 34. (Original) The device of claim 33, wherein said instructions are further designed to sense for a probing radio frequency signal of the RFID reader.
- (Original) The device of claim 33, wherein said data comprises a security key.
- 36. (Original) The device of claim 35, wherein said security key comprises a door key.
- 37. (Original) The device of claim 36, wherein said door key comprises a selected one of a garage door key, an exterior door key, an interior door key, and a motor vehicle door key.
- 38. (Original) The device of claim 33, wherein the instructions are further designed to facilitate provision of the data to the mobile communication device.
- 39. (Original) The device of claim 38, wherein the instructions are further designed to include with said facilitating, provisioning of at least a signaling attribute associated with the outputting of the data in the form of a radio frequency signal.
- 40. (Original) The device of claim 33, wherein the mobile communication device is a selected of a wireless mobile phone and a personal digital assistant equipped with communication capability.

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